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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

SIR:

In response to the Office Action of October 2, 2002, Applicants present the following response to the Examiner's restriction requirement:

(RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT)

In the Claims:

Please cancel non-elected claims 3-9, 18-24, and 40-49.

REMARKS

Claims 2-9, 17-24, and 35-49 were pending pursuant to a Preliminary Amendment filed concurrently with the present application. Claims 3-9, 18-24 and 40-49 have been cancelled as being directed to non-elected inventions. Claims 2, 17, and 35-44 remain in the case.